## Herrera, Mary E, SOS

From:

Salazar, A J, SOS

Sent:

Thursday, February 25, 2010 10:29 PM

To: Subject:

Herrera, Mary E, SOS Re: Leave Requests

Alright Ma'am. I am not a good fit for this position in your office.

I would like to meet with you tomorrow afternoon to tender my resignation. Thank you, AJ

Sent from my BlackBerry Device

**From**: Herrera, Mary E, SOS **To**: Salazar, A J, SOS

**Sent**: Thu Feb 25 22:22:26 2010 **Subject**: Re: Leave Requests

AJ,

Now I am getting concerned, we have filing day, most important election school coming up. You are the Director of BOE and most definitely needed to manage your Division and prepare everyone in your staff to train County Clerks for the Primary Election. I am not expecting you to work late hours but these tasks are crucial for a successful Primary Election. I cannot approve all those days, sorry.

Mary Herrera

From: Salazar, A J, SOS To: Herrera, Mary E, SOS

Cc: Templeton, Paula, SOS; Fresquez, Deanna, SOS

**Sent**: Thu Feb 25 12:19:49 2010

Subject: Leave Requests

Ma'am:

I am back at work although not feeling 100% better. I am currently fielding several inquiries regarding municipal elections and beginning to prepare my assigned segments of training for the upcoming Election Seminar.

I am submitting Leave Request forms to you (Originals I am leaving with Paula Templeton) for the following dates/times:

- 1) Tomorrow, 2/26/10-1 hour. I have to appear in court on a speeding ticket I received over the holidays;
- 2) Tuesday, 3/2/10-8 hours. I previously submitted this to you on 2/13/10. I need this to attend to personal matters:
- 3) \*\*Monday, 3/15/10-8 hours. My children are off on spring break. As I have custody of them, I do not have child care available.
- \*\*Wed. thru Friday, 3/17-3/19/10-**24 hours**. I will work on Tuesday (filing day) from 6 a.m. to however late I am needed, but need the rest of the week off to care for my children during spring break. I am willing to work the previous weekend to ensure that all things run smoothly on the 16<sup>th</sup>.

I guarantee that my portion of the training for the Election Seminar will be completed by the 16<sup>th</sup> and that any other Rules that we need to have generated will also be ready by that time.

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I thank you in advance for approval of this time as I have plenty of Annual Leave in reserve and because I do need this time.

I appreciate your continued understanding and support.

Respectfully, AJ

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